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LAST EDITION.

MR. BLAINE ROBBED

His House at Augusta Ray-tacked by a Thief

Political and Business Papers Overhauled and Abstracted.

The Rebbery Kept Quiet in the Hope of Discovering the Thief-The Burglary Supposed to Have Been Perpetrated in the Hope of Obtaining Papers to Injure Mr. Binine Politically.

[RPECIAL TO THE WORLD.] AUGUSTA, Me., May 28. - During a conversation with one of Mr. Blaine's personal political friends last Saturday he gave THE EVENING WORLD reporter a piece of news which has never been made public.

"Did you know," remarked the gentleman

Police Court Justice feeted to the service of the Rev. Dr. Bobert S. MacArthur, the pron nent Baptist diefne. He will report his observe

ATTACKED A NEW-BORN BABE.

Dr. Galvin Is Badly Bitten While Defending Mrs. Hurd's Infant from a Mostiff.

assistance of Dr. George W. Galvin. The doctors etherized Mrs. Hurd, and she was

During the proceedings of the surgeons the latter were unmindful of the presence of a big mastiff which lay, apparently sleeping, in

one corner of the room.

The dog soon arose, however, and, after smiffing about for a moment, sprang for the new-born babe.

Dr. Galvin jumped to the rescue, and the infuriated dog sank his fangs clear through the doctor's wrist. The doctor shook him off, but he returned to the attack and buried his teeth in the doctor's thigh.

Police Court Justice will to day be subof the Rev. Dr. Robert B. MacArthur, the promi nest Baptist Givine. He will report his observe

tions for to-morrow Morning's WORLD. Steamer Marathon Hauled Off. SPECIAL TO THE WORLD,

Boston, May 28. -The British steamer Marathon, from Liverpool, went ashore on George's Island, Secton Harbor. She was hauled off at 9.30 this

A PELICIOUS Arema possibar to stealf is imported to moking Tunkisk Unosa-Guy Czgarkytka.

MR. POWDERLY AND ASSEMBLY 49. he General Master Workman's Decision to

Be Given on Friday Evening. Contrary to expectation, yesterday's meeting of District Assembly 49 was most peace-

General Master Workman Powderly was present, but did not preside. Nor did he demand the charter from Mr. Quinn. He heard the statements of both sides in the difficulty and reserved his decisi on until Friday even-ing, when it will be rendered at a special

OVERWORKED GROCERY CLERKS.

Their Demauds Are Moderate and Might Eastly Be Granted. You have always been with the workers in

in their just demands, and I am glad to see you take up the cause of the grocery clerks, Their demands are very modest—to close at 8 every night with the exception of Saturday. With your aid we will be successful yet. Any clerk wanting shorter hours please ommunicate with M. J. Cassity. 862 Tenth avenue.

Where the Blame Partly Resta.

to the Editor of the Evening World:

After having so successfully coped with the Half-Holiday bill, don't you think it would be a greater act of charity and at the same time equally deserving of credit and praise if you tried to help along the cause of the over-

you tried to help along the cause of the overworked grocers and butcher clerks?

They work from fourteen to sixteen hours
a day and eighteen hours on Saturday, and in
many cases on Sunday morning until 12
o'clock, and never have one day to themselves in the entire year. Strange, though
nevertheless true, the very people who are
continually clamoring for this half holiday
are the same ones who compel our employers
to keep their places of business open until
all hours to accomodate them.

As a rule, the people who are benefited by
this law actually work but one half the time
we do, get better pay, and are still the very
people who stand in our way (perhaps unconsciously).

JUSTICE.

I think your move to close up grocery stores at 8 o'clock evenings is a very good one. It would benefit the bosses as well as clerks. I keep a grocery at 2057 Third avenue, Harlem.
I open at 5,30 in the morning. I want to be
the first to sign an agreement to close at 8 rm., giving myself as well as my help the
much-needed rest.

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If the closing can be made universal it would be a great benefit. If not, then it cannot be carried out. Respectfully,

I. Poppen, 2007 Third avenue.

PITTSBURG, May 28.—The employees of the Na-

tional Tube Works, and also of the Singer, Nimica & Co. 's works, have accepted the ' compromise ' reduction of 5 per cent. The original plan was to reduce wages 10 per cent.

Inbor Notes.

The Clothing Trades Section will meet to-night. The Central Labor Union occupied most of its ession yesterday in discussing the brewerymen's

The Coppersmiths' Union has been admitted to the Central Labor Union, and will send delegates to the Metal-Workers' Section. The street railway men have cancelled their engagement of Jones's Wood for the pichle, and will take a steamboat excursion, June 17.

Factory Inspector Connelly is charged by the Workingwomen's Association with causing the de-feat of the bill providing for the appointment of

The New York Wood-Carvers' Union and the Plassman Association of Wood-Carvers have been expelled from the Contral Labor Union for refusing to engage in sympathetic strikes. Next Saturday afternoon and evening the United Progressive Carpet Werkers will hold their monie at Lion Park. The young ladies consected with the organization slways make their annual gatherings especially enjoyable.

The Progressive Union of House-Varnishers, of those who do the varnishing in new buildings, lately demanded \$3 for a day of nine hours, and complain that members of other unions ask but \$2.50. The Central Labor Union has warned the latter not to work for less than \$8 in the buildings, under pain of expulsion.

THE CUSTOM-HOUSE TROUBLES.

Continuation of the Investigation by the Senate Committee To-Day. When the Custom-House civil-service in

vestigation was resumed this morning the court-room was crowded with witnesses, now or formerly of the Custom House, sumnoned by the Civil-Service Reform Association.

ciation.

Among them were Weighers J. W. O'Brien, George Jardine, Peter Rafferty, James McGee and J. K. Murphy; Inspectors M. H. Whalen, Walter B. Styles, Richard Barry, William S. Diller, W. H. Holton, J. W. Camp, H. Comstock, R. Waterbury, William Haradon, Daniel Martin, Henry Beardsley, A. R. McCoy and W. W. Penfield.

Ex. Congressman J. E. Mallard, of Binghamton, was first called. He is a Republican, and Senstor Spooner sought to show by him that the new \$50,000 customs building in Bingbamton was disadvantageously located on ground in which Col. Davis, the leader of the Admistration party, had an interest. Mr. Mallard thought the site was not as good as it might have been, The Beard of Trade protested against it, and recommended another. Witness didn't know of any corrupt influence brought to bear on the choice of the site, however, and did not believe there was any. The site chosen cost but \$15,000, while the other would have cost \$40,000.

The Quetations.

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BROKE DOWN WITH BOOKS.

A WITNESS AGAINST KERR COMES TO GRIEF IN BROADWAY.

He Was Taking Half a Ten of Accounts to

The twentieth day of the trial of Thomas B. Kerr opened to day. Defendant Kerr was ruddy, and evidently had lost none of the

street on the night of Aug. 29, 1884. Mr.

street on the night of Aug. 29, 1884. Mr. Sharp saked him to see Moloney and sign a call for a special meeting of the Common Council for the next morning. Pearson didac. Pearson disagreed with almost everybody else, and was positive that the public door was open at that meeting. In fact, he and ex-Alderman Jacobus entered by that door, he said. He didn't know Kerr, and Bourke Cockran wagged his big head in satisfaction as he left the stand.

Robort E. Dowling, clerk for Robinson, Scribner & Bright in 1884, testified that Sharp sent him to the chamber of the Board of Aldermen on Aug. 5, 1884—the day of the hearing of parties interested in the Broadway franchise before the Railroad Committee. He took a type-written document to Richmond. Richmond ejaculated petulantly: "Why do you bring that to me before everybody? Take it to Moloney." And the witness delivered the paper to Billy Moloney.

This paper was the report of the committee in favor of the Broadway surface road, and the committee had only the small work of signing it.

Col. George Bluss testified that he was re-

suggested that an offer of \$40,000 a year, which would be a \$ per cent. interest on \$1,000 000.

William J. Ramsay, bookkeeper for the Broadway and Seventh Avenue road, was next called, but he did not respond. The Court waited, for Mr. Ramsay was known to have started for court. After a little a messenger reported to District Attorney Fellows that the wagon in which Mr. Ramsay had embarked, along with a half ton of books of accounts, records and papers, had broken down on a Broadway railway track, but the witness and paraphernalia would be down as quickly as possible.

Col. Fellows announced that the balance of his witnesses could not testify without the books and court took an involuntary recess of nearly an hour.

BROOKLYN NEWS.

Labores Arrested on a Charge of Assaulting a Colored Girl.

Anna Jackson, a colored girl about nine een years old, was on her way to the Fort Hamilton Railroad station at Thirty-eighth street yesterday, when she was suddenly seized from behind by a man, who threw her

to the ground.

She struggled violently with him and succeeded in freeing herself, but the man caught her by the throat and again threw her to the ground. oaught nor by the throat and again threw her to the ground.

When she escaped she went to the Eighteenth Precinct station-house, where she made a complaint. Charles Cash, a laborer living on Thirty-seventh street, near Seventh street, was arrested and identified by the girl. He was held for examination.

Policeman McCormack's Brave Act. cries for help reached the ears of Patroiman Mc-Cormack, of the Fifteenth Precinct, who without waiting is fremove any of his clothing jumped into the water and rescued him. For his brave action Sopt. Campbell this morning confiplimented Mc-Cormack.

and was killed.

Henry Clifford, of 56 Atlantic avenue, last evenue, celled on Margaret Harrison, of 32 Atlantic avenue, Miss Harrison gashed his scalp with a heavy glass tumbler and was arrested.

Detective Kortright, of the Seventeenth Precinct, last flight arrested on Schnectady avenue, William Kelley, fifteen years old, who is wanted in Greenbouch, N. T., for breaking into a Hudson River freight-car.

William Kelley was analysis of the Seventeenth Precinct with the seventeenth Precinct will be a seventeenth Precinct will be a seventeenth Precinct William Kelley was analysis.

William Kelley was eaught by Jos. Oatman, of 622 Court's reet, last evening in the act of riding his coat-pocket. Kelley ran and was distancing his pursuers when Policeman Gallagher fired three shots at him, compelling him to halt.

this morning on the charges of mayhem and assault made by James Nugent, of 231 Third

street.

A year ago Hall was indicted on a charge of swindling North Hudson farmers by forged orders for cash and stock. He field from the city and was not seen again until this arrest. When Justice Stilsing is through with him he will be turned over to Sheriff

Saloon-Keepers Let Alone No attempt was made by the police yesterday to enforce the new high license Sunday-closing liquor law. The Law and Order folks did as little as the police.

Romaine this morning.

Edward Corrigan, alias Frank Clayton, was committed for trial this morning on a charge of aiding in the robbery of Whelpley's blanket factory on hay street yesterday morning. Eleven great stacks of blankets were stolen.

Detective Bayer Retired. Etienne Bayer is no longer a member of the po-

COLORRE/litingraphed gertratts of all the leading base-ball players, jockers, actors, Police Inspectors and Cas-alna, in full uniform and sestimes, padied in GOLE COM-PLEW WIRE TORACCO, the best Se, Paper. "a"



and Strange Anties in Curious Places

THEATRE DISASTER IN BERLIN.

Forty Men Buried Under Fallen Walla-St. Taken Out Dend.

Forty men were buried in the rains. Twenty-six have been taken out, of whom

six were dead. The Empress Victoria, on hearing the news early this morning, hurried from Charlottenburg to the scene of the disaster.

STANLEY AND HIS PARTY ARE WELL. Deserters from His Camp Reach Zanzibar

from Barthelot. (BY CABLE TO THE PRESS NEWS ASSOCIATION) LONDON, May 28 -Letters have reached Canzibar from Barthelot dated Oct. 25, 1887. They state that deserters from Stanley's camp, after twenty days' voyage to Singatini, reported Stanley and his party all well, and

food was plenty with them. No details are given as to the route Stanley

The Epsom Meeting.

Copyright, 1888, by The Press Publishing Company (New York World), [SPECIAL CARLE DESPATCH TO THE WORLD.] LONDON, May 38.—The Epsom summer meeting begins to-morrow and continues on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. The Derby will be run or Wednesday, but a more unpromising Derby has never been known. The scratching of Friar's Bal-sam seems to have left but one horse in the race— the Duke of Portland's Ayrahire, wisher of the 2,009 Guineas. The aporting prophets are unani-mous in saying that the Duke of Portland is sure of his first Derby. The betting-opened this morning

as follows: Even money Duke of Portland's Ayrahire, by to 1 against Mr. Warblington's Galore, by Lagainst Duke of Westminster's Orbitt, by to 15 against Mr. Vyner's Crownerry, by

Rosebery.

No. 1 is against Mr. Hose's Van Dieman's Land, by Bobert the Devil.

On Thursday the Epsom Grand Prize, for three-year-olds, will be run over the City and Suburban course, with the Oaka, for Ellies, to be run over the Derby course—a mile and a half—on Friday.

THE NEW POLICE MEDALS.

Reviewing Stand During the Parado.

medals to deserving members of the force. The men will be called forward at the reviewing stand in Madison Square and Supt. Murray will present the decorations.

The new medal is very striking in design and attractive in appearance. It is a cross of the Legion of Honor shape, instead of a Maltese cross as at first chosen. A circle in the centre, surrounded by the motto: "Faithful Unto Death—Police Department, N.Y.," has a policeman in full uniform with a club at parada rest. An eagle with its talons resting on two clubs will be surmounted by a red, white and blue ribbon, held by a silver pin with the words "Honorable Mention." The medals are made of light-colored bronze and silver.

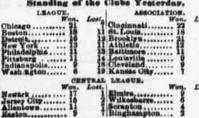
The Rev. Dr. Paxton has accepted an invitation to be present on the reviewing stand.

A NEW DEPARTURE to Journalism has World in its police court series. They are every schere copied, read and discussed. Rev. Dr. Mac Arthur toll cot as THE WORLD'S police court re

Games Scheduled for To-Day.

Louisvilles at Brooklyn. Kansas Citys at Philadelphia. St. Louis at Cleveland. Cincinnatis at Baltimore.

CENTRAL LEAGUE.
Eastons at Jersey City.
Allentowns at Newark.
Binghamions at Wilkesbarts.
Elmiras at Scranton.



Terry is a nonparell. Go in and win, boys. The eyes of the metroports Ewing's average is second among the League are upon you. An exchange favors the placing of Jim Mutrie of

Terry goose-egged the Louisvilles in the matter of base-hits at Ridgewood Park yesterday. If the Giants do not win to-day a prolonged howl of expostulation will arise from High Bridge to the Battery.

Baltimore, shut the Cincinnatie hit in the game yesterday. Several twiners, who have been thoroughly um pried by Valentine and Decker, are threatened with softening of the brain.

BLOOM FOR THE HOSPITALS.

THERE'LL BE PLENTY OF IT LEFT FROM MEMORIAL DAY.

Commissioner Brennan Has to Drive the Truck-Most Encouraging Reports From the Committee at "The Cottage"-All Will Be Known To-Night.

A wide band of white canvas, bearing the inscription, "The Floral Committee, G. A. R.," in big blue letters, encircles the planza of the "Cottage," in Union Square.

sque little building will be the scene of busy activity, for all the fifty-two Grand Army posts in the city will send delegations there to secure orders for their supply of flowers for decorating the soldiers' graves on Memorial Day.

tee, was on hand early this morning, and was engaged in addressing a big pile of postal cards when the representative of THE EVEN-

cards when the representative of Ten EvenInco World arrived.

"We will hardly get into the rush until tomorrow," he said, "for the notifications from
the schools are only just beginning to come
in. I expect a big batch in this afternoon's late
mail. The children will probably bring
most of their flowers to the schools to-day,
and the principals will send in their reports
after the schools close and the plants nave
been counted.

"I have taken precautions this year to give
orders to the posts which go to the schools
for their supply to report here afterwards
how many pots they leave at each school, so
that by Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock, if
the order is observed, I shall know just
about how many have been left over and
where they are.

"From the few notifications I have already
received, it looks as if the contributions
would be more generous than usual, and as
several of the posts did their decorating yesterday, and bought their flowers for the purpose, the surplus which will be available for
the hospitals from the school children's contributions ought to be very large.

"To any hospitals which send here for
flowers after Tuesday evening I will gladly
give orders on the schools until the supply
is exhausted."

A number of posts sent representatives to
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A number of posts sent representatives to the "Cottage" this morning for their supply, but were told to come again to morrow. Some of them brought their trucks with them expecting to take away the flowers.

Thomas S. Brennan, of the Board of Commissioners of Charities and Correction, said this morning: "I think we can take all the flowers that the committee will give us, and the suggestion that it is the poor charity patients and the immates of the public institutions who will appreciate the gift most I agree with entirely.

"It is a genuins gift, and you may say that if the Board is informed where the flowers are to be obtained we will send to any part of the city for them, and see that they are collected and equally distributed among the various institutions under our control.

"It will be done if I have to go out to drive the trucks and do the collecting myself; and I'm sure Commissioner Porter would not object to going along with me to handle the pots."

If M. Porter did have any chiections he

If Mr. Porter did have any objections he didn't say so, but he beamed benignantly through his spectacles upon his colleague and looked as if he indorsed all he said.

NEWSBOYS AT THE PEOPLE'S.

for Memorial Day. Two boxes at the People's Theatre Satur-

World, but couldn't begin to hold their feelings over "Lost in New York."

Though disappointing circumstances prevented the appearance of the boys in their uniforms, the big audience soon found out who were the occupants of those boxes, and the boys received special attention between the acts. The Brooklyn contingent bore the handsome foul flags presented by Corinne.

The boys were quick to appreciate the realistic features of the performance and very heartily manifested their approval of all the character portrayals, from the New York waif of Patrice to the merry gasman, the unconscionable villain, the good policeman and the impulsive old lawyer.

Manager J. Charles Davis was as much pleased over the boys' pleasure as the boys were with the play, and he may be sure that both clubs and the management appreciate his courtesy.

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The gigantic ideas which were to have fitted themselves to the newsboy game in Brooklyn to-day will be readopted and rearranged for Thursday afternoon. As the Brooklyn Association team will play two games on Wednesday there is no likelihood of any disappointment for the boys' game of Thursday. The weather, it is believed, will have by that time exhausted itself so far as to be unable to present further discouragements. Game will be called at 2 o'clock.

Individual photographs of The Evening World players will be made to-morrow in accordance with the request from Manager Hunt, of the Rochester Post-Express, and the members of the team will report at this office at 9.30 A. M., sharp.

CORONER LEVY BREAKS THE RECORD.

He Holds Forty-nine Inquests in Four Hour and Does Justice in Each Case.

Quick work has often been known at the Coroner's office, where cases sometimes pile in at the rate of thirty a day, but Corone Levy has just broken the record. Between o'clock and noon to-day he held no less than forty-nine inquests, giving each case proper consideration and finally disposing of the

Among the cases were those of Daniel Oakey, bookkeeper of the Union Trust Company, who blew out his brains in a Bleecker street shooting-gallery Feb. 23, and Henry Brandt, a plumber, who was found dead in front of 445 West Thirty-sixth street Feb. 3, Verdicts of suicide were rendered in each

Emanuel Mr. Helmerdinger Dead.

Mr. Emanuel Max Helmerdinger, father of the Park row advertising agent, dued suddenly this morning at his residence, 45 East Seventy-eights street. He enjoyed the best of health until a few days ago, when he complained of a pain at the heart. He was taken with fainting spells isst evening, and died at an early hour is the morning. Mr. Helmerdinger was formerly an importer of cigar monids, but for several years he devoted his attention to the newspaper advertising business which his son had established. He was sixty-four years of age.

At the Methodist Conference. At the Methodist Conference to-day Benjamin it, James Fry was elected editor of the Central invistion Advocate.

SHERIDAN'S RIDE.

As that gallant soldier, Gen. Phil Sheridan, is probably on his deathbed, Tan Evening Would takes the opportunity to print that popular poem.
"Sheridan's hide," written by Thomas Buchanan Read on one of the stirring incidents in the Gen eral's military careen.

Up from the south, at break of day,
Bringing to Winehester fresh dismay,
The affrighted air with a shudder bore,
Like a h-raid in haste to the cateftan's door,
The serrible grumble and rumble and ross,
The iller the battle was on once more,
And Sheridan twenty unles away.
And wider still those billows of war
Thunder'd along the horizon's bar:
And older'd rich those billows of roll'd
The roar of that red sea uncontroll'd,
Making the blood of the listener cold,
As be thought of the stake in that stery fray.

As he thought of the stake in that slery fray, And Sheridan twenty miles away. And Sheridan twenty miles away.
But there is a road from Winebester tows, A good broad highway leading down;
And there, through the flush of the morning light, A steed as black as the steeds of night was seen to pass, as with eagle flight, As if he knew the terrible need;
He stretch'd away with his utmost speed;
Hills rose and fell; but his heart was gay,
With Sheridan fifteen miles away.

Still sprang from those swift books thundering South
The dust, like smoke from the cannon's mouth,
Or the trail of a comet aweeping faster and faster
Foreboding to trailors the doom of disaster.

The heart of the steed and the heart of the master Were beating like prisoners assaulting their walls, Impalient to be where the battle-field calls; Every nerve of the charger was strain'd to full play, with Speridan only ten miles away. Under his spurning feet, the road
Like an arrowy Alpine river flow'd
And the landscape sped away behind
Like an scean flying before the wind;
And the steed, like a cark fed with furnace ire,
Swept on, with his wild eye full of fire.
But, lol he is nearing his heart's desire;
He is sauding the stocke of the rearing fray.
With Sheridan only five miles away.

The first that the General saw were the groups

both.
Then, striking his spurs with a terrible cath.
He dashed down the line, 'mid a storm of huxnas
And the wave of retreat checked its course there gray;
By the flash of his eye and the red nostril's play,
He seemed to the whole great army to say:
"I have brought you, Sheridan, all the way
From Winchester, down to save the day,"

Hurrah! hurrah for Sheridan! Hurrah! hurrah for horse and man! And when their statues are placed on high Under the dome of the Union sty. The American soldiers' Temple of Fame. There with the glorious General's name. He it said in letters both bold and bright; "Here is the steed that saved the day By carrying sheridan into the fight, From Winchester—twenty miles away !"

BACK IN THE CITY HALL. stars in Mayor Hewitt's Office to Remine

Him of Angels. Mayor Hewitt is once more at his desk is the City Hall, having removed from his temporary headquarters in the Stewart Build-

ing.

The Mayor's office has undergone a transformation within five months. It has been repainted and refrescoed and a new velvet carpet is on the floor. The paintings of old-time Mayors have been revarnished and the frames regilded. In short, the Mayor's office looks bright and clean and the atmosphere is much purer.

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Mayor Hewitt made no display in reoccupying the office. He arrived at the City Hali at 10.30 and quietly sat down to his desk. He glanced around for a few moments and merely remarked to Chief Clerk Arthur Berry: "I guess this will do," and the next moment was looking over his morning mail.

"This looks like an abode for the Mayor's friends," ejaculated a Third House statesman. "See the stars on the ceilings."

"What friends?" asked an Alderman.

"His angel friends," was the reply.

se. John, on Behalf of Gaudaur and McKay,

THE DOUBLE-SOULL CHAMPIONSHIP.

Lauce a Challenge to Teemer and Hamm. [SPECIAL TO THE WORLD.] Boston, May 28.-As stated several days ago in The Evening World, J. A. St. John has determined to settle the double-scull

has determined to settle the double-scuil championship and has now come out with the following challenge:

To stop all further talk on the part of Teemer and his backer relative to a double-scuil race, I hereby, on behalf of Gaudaur and McKay, challenge Teemer and Hamm to row a double-scuil race, in best-and-best boats, for \$1,000 a side and the double-scuil champion-hip of the world, the race to be three miles with a turn and to be rowed over any fair course mutually agreed upon.

If Mr Keenan thinks \$1,000 a side is not enough I am willing to make the match for \$2,500 a side. In issuing this challenge I do not under-estimate the ability of Teemer and Hamm. I believe them to be excellent scullers, and that the proposed race will prove to be one of the greatest aquatic events of the century, and I want Mr. Keenan to realize that he is not the only man in the country willing to risk money in a fair and honorable contest.

(Signed)

J. A. Sr. John.

Says He Has No Bomb Factory.

Herr Most, the Anarchist, indignantly denies the rumor that a bomb factory belonging to him had een discovered in Connecticut. "It is all wind, all wind," he declared to an EVENING WORLD reporter to-day, waving his arms frantically over his head, "there is no truth in it

at all."

"You deny then, that you have a bomb factory in that place?" asked the reporter.

"If we had a bomb factory," replied Most, "do you suppose we would let the papers know about it? But it exists only in the imagination of the people who started the rumor." A Welcome Change on the Erie Road. The dense smoke which has been an annoyance to passengers on the Erie road will never more begrime their faces and intercept their view of the picture que scenery. The smoke came from burning soft coal, and the company has taken a size step in prohibiting its further use. Hereafter all trains on the Eric will be hauled by engines using hard coal.

United Labor and Ballot Reform. At a meeting of the United Labor party, of the Pwenty-second District, on Saturday evening last. upon motion of Peter R. Gatens, Secretary, of the county organization of the United Labor party, res-olutions were adopted, calling upon Gov. Hill te sign the Ballot iteform bill, in the interest of hon-cat voters.

Ningara Fally at Copey Island. Preparations are going on rapidly for the repre sentation of Nisgara Falls, to be given at the Coney Island Sea Beach Exposition. The water front will extend eighty-one feet and the water will fall twenty feet. An experimental display will soon take pisce. Col. Hain Will Not Talk.

ticket awin ling on the "L" roads. Col. Hain said: "I don't propose to make any statement. It don't concern the public." \$10,000 for Ireland. The Executive Committee of the Parliamentary Pund Association has resolved to send \$10,000 to the Irian Parliamentary Party by Sir Thomas Grat-tan Emmonde, who leaves New York for Ireland to-morrow (Tuesday) morning.

An Evenino World reporter called on Col. Hain this morning and asked him about the alleged

LAST EDITION.

THE DYING GENERAL

Very Little Hope for the Hero of Winchester.

At 11 O'Clock To-Day There Was No Immediate Danger.

Gen. Sheridan Passed a Wretched Night-Oxygen Was Administered Several Times He Cried Out in Pain and Was Often Delirious-The Dectors Hold Back Their Bulletin in Order That It Might Be Favorable-Hours of Anxiety.

Washington, May 28.—Gen. Sheridan passed a wretched night. During the early hours he did not sleep at all, but tossed about restlessly upon his bed, his labored respiration denoting the great effort with which he fought against suffocation. Oxygen was administered several times, but its effects were but temporary, and was usually

followed by a reaction.

Between 2 and 4 o'clock this morning he was delirious, and often broke the alence about him by calling loudly to have a door shut or a window opened. He frequently cried out as if in great pain, his voice being plainly audible to the knot of newspaper men who spent the night walking up as down the opposite side of the avenue and crossing now and then to put inquiries to the sober-faced attendants who guarded the

He became much quieter after 4 o'clock, but it was aimply the effect of a sinking spell, and at 6 o'clock he was feebler than he had yet been. A change for the better then set in, and

rallied a little.

At 10,30 the doctors issued a bulletin dated o'clock, which they had held back for a full hour in order that his improvement might justify the statements made therein, Consultation, 9 A. M. -Gen. Sheridan passed a bad night, having an irregular pulse, labored res-piration and being frequently delirious. Since day-break, however, and especially within the last hour, there has been alight but distinct improve-ment in all his symptoms. His pulse is 110 and steadier. The ordema of the legs has gradually

ubsided and is now slight. He continues to take an ample supply of nourishmens, which seems to be assimilated. R. M. O'REILLY,

C. B. BYRNE.

At 11 o'clock the doctors stated there was no immediate danger of a fatal termination. At 1.30 there had been no material change

REVIEWED THE RICHMOND GREYS.

Crack Company From Virginia Guesto the Ninth Regiment. A great crowd gathered this morning in the

City Hall Park to see Mayor Hewitt review the Richmond Greys, a crack military company from Richmond, Va., who are now on their visit to this city. Shortly before 11 o'clock a platoen of police cleared the space in front of the City Hall, and immediately afterwards the Mayor came slowly down the steps, carrying an um-

He took up his position on the raised walk. The Mayor was preceded by Marshal Byrnes and the Mayoralty standard. and the Mayoralty standard.

In a few moments a company os the Ninth Regiment, preceded by the regiment's drum corps, made its appearance, and immediately following came the fifty Virginians, commanded by Capt. C. Gray Bossieur.

The customary salute was given; the Mayor doffed his winter derby; the crowd closed in, causing the Mayor some little discomfort to regain his office.

The Virginians proceeded on their line of march up Broadway to Fourth atreet, thence to Fifth avenue and Twenty-sixth street, and then to the armory of the Ninth Regiment boys, whose guests the Greys will be till Saturday.

brella in his right hand, and his left resting

on the arm of Col. Aspinwall, of Virginia.

aturday.
They will take part in the Memorial Day serementes at Grant's tomb.

Ex-Commissioner Rollin P. Squire is on the warpath. It is said on good authority that the ex-post Chief of the Department of Public Works has begun a suit for his reinstatement. He has all along claimed that his removal was illegal and he wants Gen. Newton to vacate the office.

Capt. McCullagh's Midnight Raid. Young Capt. McCullage, accompanied by Detective Chrystal and a platoon of police, raided the dens at 11 Pell street and 26 Mott street at midnight and arrested sixteen Chinamea and sleven other prisoners. At the Tombs this morning the prisoners were held for examination.



The Weather To-Day. Indicated by Blakely's this-thermome 1888. 1887. 9A. M.

"Did you know," remarked the gentleman,
"that Mr. Blaine's house was broke into
some time ago while he and his family were
absent, and all his political and business correspondence and private papers, involving
financial operations, which were in his library, were overhauled, and a portion of
them abstracted?"

"Well, such is the fact. The matter has
always been kept a secret in the hope that the
thief might be discovered; but he never has
been, at least I never heard he was.

"I don't think that anybody in particular
was ever suspected of being the thief. The
supposition is, that the robbery was perpetrated in the expectation of obtaining something among Mr. Blaine's private papers
which might be used to his political injury if
ever wanted.

I never learned the character of the papers An Employer Who Is Willing to Close, I never learned the character of the papers stokes. When the robbery was discovered the floor of the library was found to be littered with letters and papers which had evidently been carefully examined. Every drawer was found to have been ransacked and its contents either disturbed or dumped upon the floor.

"I never heard that the thief carried off any political letters which would hurt Mr. Blains. Neither do I believe that any record of his financial transactions was carried off that could be used to his detriment by his political enemies, which was undoubtedly the motive which prompted the robbery."

This is the substance of the information furnished The Evening World man, and nothing more in relation to the matter could be clicited. The gentieman who gave it occupies a high professional position and is a great admirer of Mr. Blaine. I never learned the character of the papers Employer and Employees Compromise.

tions for to-morrow morning's World.

IMPECIAL TO THE WORLD, Boston, May 28,—At 8.30 o'clock Saturday summoned to attend a case at No. 61 Beach street. Mrs. Hurd was the patient. Directly that Dr. Dixon arrived he called for the

delivered of a boy child.

the doctor's wrist. The doctor shock him off, but he returned to the attack and buried his teeth in the doctor's thigh.

Dr. Galvin was badly hurt, but his first thought w at to finish the mastiff effectually, and, grasping the brute by the throat, he choked him, as he supposed, to death.

Then, with the assistance of the horrified Dr. Dixon, the body was cast into the street.

Dr. Galvin immediately went to the United States Hotel, where his wounds were canterized by Dr. Al Watts.

While talking with Mr. Watts, one of the latter's employees came to the hotel and summoned him, inquiring of him whose dog that was. Dr. Galvin and Dr. Watts both went to the door and Galvinfrecognized the dog as the one with whom he had the terrific battle.

"This dog," said Dr. Watts's man, " is the one that rushed into Mr. Levy's store, on Washington street, opposite the Continental clothing store, and cleared the place entirely out. They all supposed he was mad."

A careful examination by Dr. Watts showed that the dog had no traces of hydrophobia, but it was thought best to put him beyond the possibility of doing further harm.

When fragile soman signs, deploring
The charms that quickly fade away,
What power, the bloom of health restoring,
Can check the progress of decay?
The only sid that's worth attention,
For pains and tile of such description,
Thousands of women stadly mension—
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Court-Ex-Alderman Pearson Testificapared by Sharp's Lawyer-Col. George Blies a Witness.

benefits of a holiday and a half. Ex-Alderman James Pearson was the first vitness of the day. He saw and talked with Jacob Sharp," he said, at his own place of business, Sixt avenue and Twenty-fourth

the committe had only the small work of signing it.

Col. George Blass testified that he was retained by Richmond on Oct. 15, 1884, receiving \$1,500 retainer. On June 19, 1885, he received \$10,000 in bonds for his whole service, and receipted to the Broadway and Seventh Avanue road for it. His understanding was that he was retained in the Sharp-Richmond Broadway Surface road interests against the Whitney-Broadway interests.

To Mr. Cockran he said that it was he who suggested that an offer of \$40,000 a year, which would be a 4 per cent. interest on \$1,000,000.

Dennis Hassuter, of 271 Furman street, fell over-board at the foot of Pacific street last night. His

Frederic Meyers, thirty-seven years old, a 'long-shoreman on the bark Autocrat, moored at the Conover-street dock, fell into the held this morning and was killed.

JERSEY CITY NEWS.

Forger Hall to Answer Charges of Swindling as Well as Maybem. Edward C. Hall, the notorious forger and swindler, was remanded by Justice Stilling

this arrest. When Justice Stilsing is t with him he will be turned over to Davis.

Jereev City Jettings.

The examination of Henry Watson, the accused leader of the local "green goods "men, was post-poned to June 11 by United States Commissioner Romaine this morning.

Etienne Bayer is no longer a member of the po-lice force. His devotion to Barney Rourke, the Eighth District Republican leader, and his offen-sive partisanship on election days lost him his po-sition of ward detective, and he was temanded to close duty in the House of Detention. This net-tled sayer, and he sent in an application for retire-ment on a pension. The Commissioners granted the request; fixing his pension at a wildow's rate of \$200 a year. Pensions of this grade can be recalled at any time if the behavior of the pensioner is not satisfactory to the Board.

Mayor Hewitt Returns to City Hall.

IBY CARLS TO THE PRESS NEWS ASSOCIATION.] BRELIN, May 28.-The Royal Theatre fell

Be Presented by Supt. Murray at the A feature of the police parade on Thursday will be the presentation of honorable mention medals to deserving members of the force.

Washington at New York.
Philadelphia at Boston.
Indianapolis at Pittsburg.
Detroits at Chicago.

Standing of the Clubs Yesterday.

Kelly thinks that Chicago will win the pennant. Say nothing and saw Wood, Mike.

By defeating the Colonels yesterday President Byrne's constellation has moved up to second place in the Association race. Flain, every-day John Emith, who pitches for

and the Flowers Will Be Distributed to

For the next two or three days that pictur-

Mr. Evans, the Chairman of the commit-

They Immensely Enjoy the Play-A Gamday night held the newsboy ball-players of THE EVENING WORLD and the Brooklyn World, but couldn't begin to hold their

Emanuel M. Beimerdinger Dend.

The "Slocum" Long Reach Ruckets. Warranted English red and white split gut; also de outre note. SPALDING'S, 321 Broadway.